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	A	Des. 185,289	05/26/59	Joseph J. Kadlec			
	B	Des. 245,734	09/13/77	Raymond Jacobs			
	C	380,395	04/03/1888	F. Kramer			
	D	681,959	09/03/1901	J. E. Fenno			
	E	754,577	03/15/1904	N. Laub			
	F	806,622	12/5/1905	Baker, et al.			
	G	843,199	02/05/1907	L.A. Doyle			
	H	958,277	05/17/1910	C. W. Phinny			
	I	974,941	11/08/1910	T. A. Wilkerson			
	J	1,140,879	05/25/1915	I. Custar			
	K	1,232,114	07/03/1917	H. Sorley			
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	C	2,212,613	08/27/1940	P. A. Messina			
	D	2,379,000	06/26/1945	W. L. Gould			
	E	2,434,770	01/20/1948	W. J. Lutey			
	F	2,518,649	08/15/1950	K. S. Tydings, et al.			
	G	2,519,613	08/22/1950	F. K. Urban			
	H	2,526,205	10/17/1950	E. E. Doerschler			
	I	2,555,590	06/05/1951	H. H. Johnson			
	J	2,599,970	06/10/52	J. Barrons			
	K	2,720,714	10/18/1955	K. F. Krohn, et al.			
	L	2,722,756	11/08/1955	G. A. Ecclesine			
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	C	3,061,951	11/6/1962	E. R. Barron			
	D	3,204,348	09/07/1965	C. H. Latson			
	E	3,300,880	01/31/1967	M. Campagna			
	F	3,305,947	02/28/1967	A. S. J. Kalsoy			
	G	3,472,508	10/14/1969	R. E. Baker, et al.			
	H	3,613,272	10/19/1971	Tatsuo Fukuoka			
	I	3,693,269	09/26/1972	Guarrera			
	J	3,739,500	06/19/1973	Cox			
	K	3,812,603	05/28/1974	Goodman			
	L	3,820,254	06/28/1974	Kopacsi			
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	C	4,370,818	02/01/1983	Simoglou			
	D	4,526,365	07/02/1985	Ziegelbaum			
	E	4,530,173	07/23/1985	Jesinsky Jr.			
	F	4,546,557	10/15/1985	Barouk, et al.			
	G	4,573,678	03/04/1986	Lamb, et al.			
	H	4,589,216	05/20/1986	Fuscone			
	I	4,681,114	07/21/1987	Lodispoto			
	J	4,686,993	08/18/1987	Grumbine			
	K	4,726,127	02/23/1988	Barouk			
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	C	5,075,984	12/31/1991	Shiew			
	D	5,231,723	08/03/1993	White, et al.			
	E	5,317,819	06/07/1994	Ellis, III			
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	C	2,805,432	09/10/57	Riggs			
	D	2,896,229	07/28/59	Doherty			
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